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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: Eric Chang
TAKASHI SUGIURA)
: Group Art Unit: 2116
Application No.: 09/708,552)
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Filed: November 9, 2000)
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS)
FOR SUPPLYING BACKUP :
POWER TO MEMORY)
CONTAINING IMPORTANT :
INFORMATION WHEN A MAIN)
POWER SUPPLY IS SWITCHED :
OFF (As Amended)) February 10, 2005

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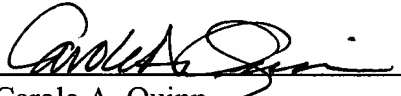
Sir:

Applicant has received a Notice of Allowability with a mail date of
December 17, 2004 for the above-identified application, which fails to acknowledge receipt
of the priority documents.

As evidenced by the attached copy of Applicant's Claim To Priority,
together with a copy of the USPTO-stamped postcard receipt, certified copies of both of
the priority documents have been received by the Patent Office on May 14, 2001.
Accordingly, acknowledgment of receipt by the Patent Office of the certified copies of both
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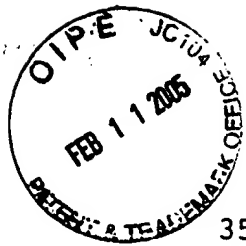
Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,
California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to
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Respectfully submitted,


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Washington, D.C. 20231

CLAIM TO PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicant hereby claims priority under the
International Convention and all rights to which he is entitled
under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following Japanese Priority
Applications:

11-319011, filed November 10, 1999; and
2000-318773, filed October 19, 2000.

Certified copies of the priority documents are
enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our
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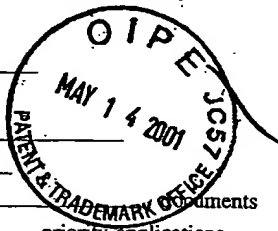
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